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## AMENDMENT

Sir:

In response to the office action mailed August 14, 2006, setting a three (3) month shortened statutory period for response which expired on November 14, 2006, and which has been extended two months to January 14, 2007, amend the above-captioned patent application as follows.

Amendments to the Specification are presented on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

Amendments to the Abstract are presented on page 5 of this paper.

Amendments to the Drawings are presented on page 6 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 7 of this paper.